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In: KSC-BC-2020-06

Specialist Prosecutor v. Hashim Thaçi, Kadri Veseli, Rexhep

Selimi and Jakup Krasniqi

**Before: Trial Panel II** 

Judge Charles L. Smith, III, Presiding Judge

Judge Christoph Barthe

Judge Guénaël Mettraux

Judge Fergal Gaynor, Reserve Judge

**Registrar:** Dr Fidelma Donlon

Filing Participant: Specialist Prosecutor's Office

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## Prosecution submission of proposed lesser redacted transcripts (W04826, W04743 and W02714)

## with confidential Annex 1

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- 1. Pursuant to the Oral Order¹ and following receipt of the relevant official transcripts, the Specialist Prosecutor's Office ('SPO') sent *inter partes* the proposed lesser redacted transcripts for all private session testimony of W04826, W04743 and W02714. On 20 February 2025, Victims' Counsel sent his response agreeing with the SPO's proposed redactions for W04826, W04743 and W02714. On 26 February 2025, the Witness Protection and Support Office ('WPSO') sent its response agreeing with the SPO's redactions and proposing additional redactions to the testimony of W04826, W04743 and W02714. The Defence teams did not send a response.
- 2. The SPO has consolidated all proposed redactions and related justifications in Annex 1.<sup>2</sup>
- 3. Annex 1 is confidential in accordance with Rule 82(4) and to give effect to existing protective measures.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Transcript, 7 November 2023, pp.9444-9446 ('Oral Order') (ordering, *inter alia*, the Parties and participants to engage *inter partes* in the review of private session testimony and propose lesser redacted versions of the official transcripts within thirty days). *See also* Decision on Prosecution Submission of Proposed Public Lesser Redacted Transcripts (W04043, W04444, W04448 and W04765), KSC-BC-2020-06/F02318, 16 May 2024, Confidential, para.37(f) (providing further direction).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> The SPO's proposals are marked in red in Annex 1, and WPSO's proposals are marked in blue. Unless otherwise indicated in the relevant submissions in Annex 1, the SPO does not object to the proposals of WPSO.